

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

Docket No.

F-1902

E-1902

In Re Application Of: **Arthur M. Tofani, Jr.**

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Group Art Unit
3643

Invention: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE CONTROLLED DELIVERY OF HERBICIDES AND PESTICIDES

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 03/19/2002 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: **06/19/2002** Date _____ until: **09/19/2002** Date _____

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

is enclosed.
 has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$460 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-0208
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 05-0208 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: 09/18/2002

Signature

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 09/18/2002 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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